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INVENTOR: EMILE VICALE

I hereby certify that the <u>RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 19</u>, <u>2004</u>, identified above, incorporating a five-page <u>CLAIMS LISTING</u>, together with this Certificate, Attorney's Transmittal Letter, and a self-addressed stamped acknowledgment Post Card are being deposited with the United States Postal Service, with sufficient postage as first Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to:

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Sir:

Attorney for Applicant respectfully submits herewith a formal three-page Response to the Official Action Mailed October 19, 2005, accompanied by; a Replacement Sheet and an Annotated Marked Up Drawing for Figure 2 of the Drawings; a five-page Claims Listing; a Certificate of Mailing and a stamped, self addressed acknowledgment post card.

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In response to the Official Action Mailed October 19, 2004, bearing confirmation Number 2003, please consider and enter the following response in the subject Application:

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please amend the drawings as follows:

Delete the sheet comprising Figure 2 of the drawings, as filed and substitute therefor the enclosed clearly marked "Replacement Sheet" which is accompanied by a related and similarly clearly marked "Annotated Marked Up Drawing". In both the "Replacement Sheet" and the "Annotated Marked Up Drawing" the only change that has been made is that reference numeral "24" has been replaced by reference numeral 80.

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